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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re application of: Strawn

Attorney Docket No.: CISC186/3226

Application No.: 09/738,749

Examiner: Hassan A. Phillips

Filed: December 14, 2000

Group: 2151

Title: TECHNIQUE FOR MONITORING  
HEALTH OF NETWORK DEVICE USING DATA  
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**AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL**Mail Stop Amendment  
Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an Amendment in the above-identified application.

The fee has been calculated as shown below.

|  | Claims<br>After<br>Amendment |       | Highest<br>Previously<br>Paid For | Present<br>Extra | Small Entity<br>Rate Fee | Large Entity<br>Rate Fee |
|--|------------------------------|-------|-----------------------------------|------------------|--------------------------|--------------------------|
| Total Claims   | 52                           | MINUS | 44                                | 08               | x 25 =                   | x 50 = 400.00            |
| Independent<br>Claims  | 10                           | MINUS | 10                                | 00               | x 100 =                  | x 200 =                  |
| Multiple Dependent Claim Present and Fee Not Previously Paid |                              |       |                                   |                  |                          |                          |
| Total  |                              |       |                                   |                  | \$                       | \$400.00                 |

- ☒ Applicant(s) believe that no (additional) Extension of Time is required; however, if it is determined that such an extension is required, Applicant(s) hereby petition that such an extension be granted and authorize the Commissioner to charge the required fees for an Extension of Time under 37 CFR 1.136 to Deposit Account No. 500388.
- ☒ Please charge the required fees, or any additional fees required to facilitate filing the enclosed response, to Deposit Account No. 500388 (Order No. CISC186).

Respectfully submitted,  
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**AMENDMENT C**

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Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed 8/2/05 ("Office Action"), please enter the following amendment in the above-identified application.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims that begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 11 of this paper.

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